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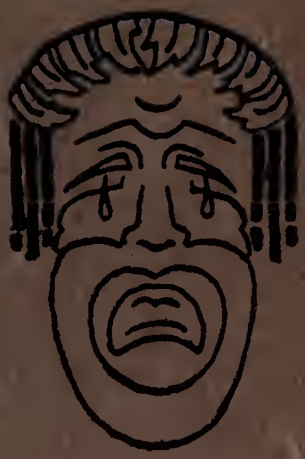

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"may the best
of luck be with
you" Donna Lee
'38'

Clara Sater 214

Clara my Sweet, please don't forget our good old times and sessions in our d — Home Ec. classes. Come to see me sometime
Love Evelyn K.

Best wishes; Vivian C.

THE BEACON

Presented by

The Graduating Class of February, 1936

Lots of luck
Phyllis

"How about my Date"
Jimmie Dale

Clara: Hence ta a sweet and pretty girl, I have you good
Edna Eddie Cronstein

Sater. I can't tell you how much I have enjoyed knowing you. Why yours life be one, as happy as you deserve.
Love
Dot Mifflton

Clara don't forget the stage tracks that dress the day the Dramatic Club on Freeman Hill went on Dramatic Club on Freeman Hill
(Mateel Dunstan)

You're O.K. Sater and it's been swell knowing you.
Shirley Bartner

Newport News High School

Newport News, Virginia

JOSEPH H. SAUNDERS STADIUM

To Dr. Cornelia W. Segar

The staff of the February Annual, 1936, pays tribute to Dr. Cornelia W. Segar, science instructor, for the friendly services and helpful instruction which she, as our friend and adviser, has been so ready to give. Dr. Segar, after many years of efficient service, remains one of the most capable and valuable members of the faculty, and the class is privileged in dedicating this yearbook to one who so deserves the honor.

Our Sponsor

Miss Annye Burbank

"God gives each man one life, like a lamp, then gives
That lamp the measure of oil: lamp lighted—hold high, wave wide
Its comfort for others to share! Once quench it, what help is left?"

"The child is father of the man," and I could wish your days to be bound each to each with purposeful living. Remember, my young people, that, just as your foundation is today, so will be your structure tomorrow. Then build nobly, hopefully, joyfully.

Into the cornerstone of this your structure, place faith in God, tolerance of mankind, self-control. Into the main body make secure courage, endurance, skill. And for its adornment employ kindliness, truth and beauty.

With such an edifice, you will be able to maintain an equilibrium through all the vicissitudes of life, and with an abiding calm you will repeat the words of Robert Browning:

"I trust in nature for the stable laws
Of beauty and utility.—Spring shall plant,
And Autumn garner to the end of time:
I trust in God—the right shall be the right
And other than the wrong, while he endures:
I trust in my own soul, that can perceive
The outward and the inward, nature's good
And God's."

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To The Seniors

You are about to graduate from the high school which you have attended for four years. This means that you are moving on to a level of adult activity. In this life you will encounter a task from which no human being can escape. This task is to solve a great many problems. Roughly speaking, these may be divided into problems of relationship with your fellow beings, problems of occupation and problems of love.

The degree of clarity and reality with which you meet these problems will determine your success in life. Many persons in times of calm get along fairly well even though they have based their lives on selfish attitudes and selected their occupations in a haphazard manner and have not established their marital and family relationships upon sound, natural and ethical bases. Such lives usually crumble and become failures when they encounter the shocks of adverse circumstances and troublous times when men have to stand on their own feet.

You as adults will not live in times of calm. You will undoubtedly encounter shocks, for the world faces troublous times, how troublous in the near future no man can tell. If your lives are not based on a firm foundation in relation to your fellow men and in your exercise of your occupations and in your other human relationships, you may expect failure. The biggest lesson your high school has tried to teach you is how to meet these problems as they arise. Remember that.

Stanley

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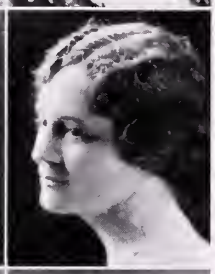

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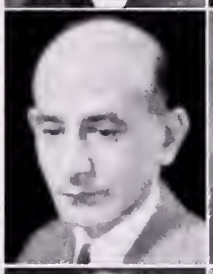

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Mildred James ..... *Secretary*

Margaret Cutchins ..... *Treasurer*

George Sands ..... *Valedictorian*

Bernard Siegel ..... *Salutatorian*

Rita Sarfan ..... *Third Honor Student*

George Sands ..... *Student Council Representative*

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Robert Murphy
Shirley Wooten
Doris Butry
Robert Hall

Flower

Emma Padgett
Lois West
Marie Murden
Eliza Wise

Pennant

Bernard Siegel
Joe Smith
Roger Callis
Elmo Marable

Music

Billy Wilson
Emma Padgett
Joe Smith

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Lena Mae Scruggs
Mildred James
Carlyn Gordon
Rita Sarfan
Dorothy Weger
Billy Hoyle
Margaret Cutchins
Vernon Beachum
Lucille Houser
Emma Padgett
Margaret Huette
John Nicholls
Catherine Butry

Invitation

Rita Sarfan
Lillyan Oser
John Nicholls
Margaret Cutchins

Color

Hope Wright
Lehman Smith
Linwood Dale
Evelyn Shippe

Motto

Billy Hoyle
Edward Cohen
George Sands

Gift

Rita Sarfan

Colors

Gold and Brown

Class Musicians

Lucille Houser, Vocalist
Cary McMurran, Piano

Flower

Calendula

Motto: "Life is an accomplishment, not mere existence."

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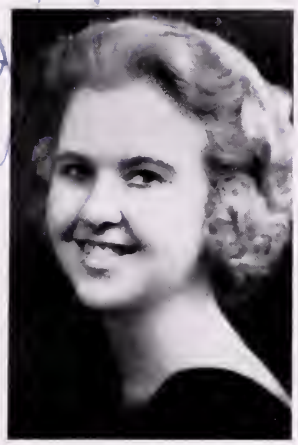

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Best to you.
Bernie Siegel

BERNARD RANDOLPH SIEGEL

Class Speaker; National Honor Society; Senior Literary Club; Orchestra; Concert Master, Orchestra; State Symphony Orchestra; Tidewater Music Festival; Orchestra Letter; Chairman, Pennant Committee; Class Offices; Home Room Offices; Staff and Cast of "Tune In"; Staff, "Royal Dilemma," "The Youngest," "Jazz and Minuet," "Nine Lives of Emily," "Quality Street"; French Club; Cast, "Our Happy Little Home"; SALUTATORIAN.

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National Honor Society; Reader's Club; Orchestra; Writer's Club; "Legend of Sleepy Hollow"; "Robinson Crusoe"; President, Senior Literary Club; Activities Letter; Home Room Offices; Beacon Newspaper; HONOR STUDENT.

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"Best of luck and good wishes, Clara, Evelyn

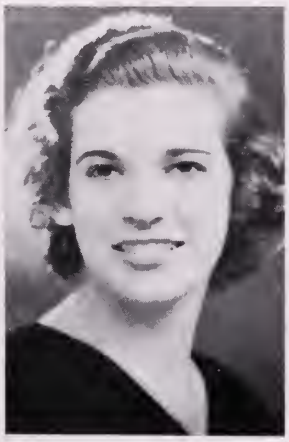
DOROTHY I. WEGER

Quill and Scroll Editorial Staff, February Annual; Business Manager Beacon Annual; Advertising Staff February and June Annuals; Editorial Staff June Annual; Beacon Newspaper; National Honor Society; Spanish Club; Beacon Typist; Four-Low Ring Committee; Senior Assembly Committee; Writers' Club; "Feathertop"; Staffs, "Tune In," "Quality Street"; G. A. A.; Type Certificate; Home Economics Club; Fashion Show; Class Room Offices; Home Room Offices; HONOR STUDENT.

Best of Luck, Ethel Trew

ETHEL TREW

Spanish Club; Junior Writer's Club; Senior Writers' Club; G. A. A.; 4-Low Decoration Committee; "Feathertop"; Freshman Speech Club; Home Room Offices; Beacon Typist; Beacon Annual Typist; Type Certificate; Staffs, "The Women Folks," "It'll Be All Right on the Night," "The Late Christopher Bean," "The Enchanted Cottage"; HONOR STUDENT.



Best of everything, Carlyn

CARLYN GORDON

National Thespians; Senior Decoration and Assembly Committees; Type Certificates; Assistant Director, "The Youngest," "Mr. Pim Passes By"; Beacon Typist; Spanish Club; G. A. A.; Senior Writers' Club; Junior Writers' Club; Home Room Offices; Speech Club; Woodstock Type Awards; Beacon Circulation Staff; Beacon Ad Staff; "Feathertop"; Staffs, "Doll's House," 'It'll Be All Right On the Night," "Christopher Bean," "Grandma Pulls the Strings," "Theme Song," "Romancers," "Romance is a Racket," "Enchanted Cottage"; HONOR STUDENT.

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Lots of Luck, Selma

SELMA GREENSPON

Speech Club; Junior Writers' Club; Type Certificate; Home Room Offices; Beacon Newspaper; Senior Home Economics Club; "Feathertop"; Staffs, "Royal Dilemma," "Christopher Bean"; "Theme Song," "Enchanted Cottage"; HONOR STUDENT.

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Best of Luck for success happiness Hope E.

TURNER ARMSTRONG

Senior Literary Club; Cast, "Tune In"; Staff, "The Youngest"; Boy's Chorus.

EMMA LEE BOWDEN

Home Economics Club; G. A. A.; "Feathertop"; "Robinson Crusoe"; "Rip Van Winkle"; Fashion Show; Home Room Offices.

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VERNON BEACHUM

Photography Club; "Robinson Crusoe"; "Feathertop"; Staffs, "Tune In," "Quality Street," "The Youngest"; Home Room Offices; Cast, "Wild Hobby Horses."

Goodbye to a Classmate.
Hammel Christian

CHARLES HAMMEL CHRISTIAN

Midget Football; Basketball; Track; "Feathertop"; Usher; Spanish Club.

Best of luck
Doris

DORIS VIRGINIA BUTRY

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Mosta of the Besta

EDWARD BARON COHEN

"Feathertop"; Spanish Club; Readers' Club; Home Room Offices; Junior Red Cross; Senior Motto Committee; Student Council.

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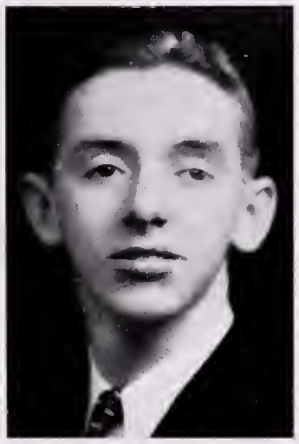

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LINWOOD DALE

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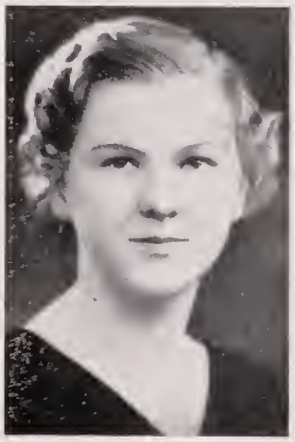

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Cast, "Hottentot"; "Feathertop"; Debate Club; Speech Club; Junior Writers' Club; Spanish Club; Junior Red Cross; Home Room Offices.

CHARLES DOUGLAS GILDNER

Varsity Football; French Club; "Feathertop"; "Robinson Crusoe"; Midget Football; Home Room Offices; Cafeteria Staff.

Here's luck to a nice girl.
Doug Gildner

CLARA FRANCES GREGORY

Readers' Club; Home Economics Club; Spanish Club; G. A. A.; "Robinson Crusoe"; "Feathertop."

May happiness follow you through life
Frances Gregory

ESTHER DOLORES GOLDBERG

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Spanish Club; "Feathertop"; Midget Football; Photo Club; Home Room Offices; Senior Ring Committee.

Success in all your undertakings
Bunday

Lots of luck & success! "Betty"

ELIZABETH HEARN

Smithfield High School; Literary Club; Home Economics Club; Latin Club; G. A. A.; History Club.

Best Wishes Lucille Houser

LUCILLE HOUSER

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Rudy Heinatz

RUDOLPH HEINATZ

"Robinson Crusoe"; "Legend of Sleepy Hollow"; Football; Home Room Offices; Spanish Club; Basketball.

Best of luck, Bill Hoyle

WILLIAM VINTON HOYLE

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BEATRICE BERYL HICKS

Spanish Club; Junior and Senior Literary Clubs; Home Room Offices; Staffs, "The Late Christopher Bean," "The Enchanted Cottage"; Senior and Junior Home Management Clubs; "Feathertop"; Spanish Assembly Program.

lots of luck to a sweet girl! Don't forget Home Management Class.
Beatrice Hicks

Lots of Luck & success Love Margaret

MARGARET JOHANNA HUETTE

Vice-President, French Club; Junior Writers' Club; G. A. A.; Home Room Offices; Senior Editor, February Annual; Beacon Newspaper; Staffs, "Nine Lives of Emily," "Jazz and Minuet," "Quality Street," "The Youngest," "Tune In"; Senior Literary Club; Quill and Scroll; "Feathertop"; Cast, "The Youngest," "Wild Hobby Horses"; June Annual Editorial Staff; Journalism Letter; Senior Assembly Committee.

Wishing you lots of luck. Don't forget 24 + Photo Club. Dear Clara, Here's hoping a small girl all the success in the world. Love Billy

OLA VERA HUBBARD

Home Economics Club; G. A. A.; "Feathertop"; Staffs, "The Late Christopher Bean," "The Enchanted Cottage," "Tune In"; Secretary, Photo Club.

Here wishing you all the success & happiness in the world Pals Nell

CATHERINE DARE ILISH

Spanish Club; Writers' Club; G. A. A.; Home Economics Club; High Tide; "Feathertop"; Staffs, "The Late Christopher Bean," "Grandma Pulls the Strings," "Enchanted Cottage"; Photo Club; Home Room Offices; Beacon Newspaper.

NELLIE LOUISE HUDGINS

"Feathertop"; Student Council Representative; G. A. A.; Photo Club; Junior and Senior Home Economics Clubs; Second Prize, W. C. T. U. Contest; Staffs, "The Late Christopher Bean," 'The Youngest"; Cast, "Enchanted Cottage," "The Fire Next Door," "Wild Hobby Horses"; Class Office.

Lee

GORDON LANCELOT JONES

Mixed Chorus.

Very success & happiness be yours ever "Jessy"

CLYDE WILLIAM KELLEY

Spanish Club; "Robinson Crusoe"; "Feathertop"; Staff, "Quality Street"; Home Room Offices.

WALTER HUGH LEE, Jr.

Spanish Club; Beacon Advertising; Midget Football; "Robinson Crusoe"; "Feathertop"; Home Room Office.

MARJORIE LEE KERN

Spanish Club; G. A. A.; "Feathertop"; Senior Home Economics Club; Speech Club; Junior Red Cross; School Usher; Office Staff; Staffs of Plays.

Remember me, even if I am
a little fool,
Marjorie

DALLACE ELMO MARABLE

Student Council; Co-Managing Editor, Beacon Newspaper; Quill and Scroll; Annual Triangular Debate; Debate Club; Tennis Team; Speech Club; Readers' Club; Mixed Chorus; Writers' Club; Senior Literary Club; Spanish Club; School Cheerleader; "Feathertop"; "Royal Dilemma"; Home Room Offices; Senior Pennant Committee; Boy's Chorus; Junior Red Cross; Class Offices.

Lots of luck
Dallace Elmo Marable

JOHN KIPPER

Best Wishes to
a friend from
a friend
John

THOMAS E. MASSEY, Jr.

Spanish Club; Home Room Offices; Junior Varsity Football; Varsity Football; Staff, "Quality Street.

ELVIRA JANE MARSHALL

"Feathertop"; Staff, "Romancers," "Romance is a Racket"; Type Certificate; Home Economics Club; "Royal Dilemma."

EDITH McBRIDE

Type Certificate; Home Economics Club; G. A. A.; Staff, "Quality Street", "No Retreat"; Home Room Offices; "Feathertop."

Here's hoping you get all out of life that you deserve
Edith

NAOMI ELIZABETH MARSHALL

Junior Home Economics Club; Senior Home Economics Club; Junior Writers' Club; Type Certificate; "Feathertop"; Home Room Offices; Beacon Newspaper; Speech Club; "The Holy Grail."

Best Wishes for your Success.
N. Marshall

NELLIE MAE MILLER

Advertising Manager, Beacon Annual; Advertising Staff, June Annual; Editorial Staff, February Annual; Beacon Newspaper; G. A. A.; French Club; Spanish Club; Readers' Club; Senior Home Economics Club; "Feathertop"; "Robinson Crusoe"; Sesqui Pageant; Practice Wedding; Home Room Offices; Usher.

"Anything for a sweet boy"
Nellie Bloom

Lots of luck & happiness to you, Clara.
Frances

Lots of luck "Ray"

FRANCES MOREWITZ

Spanish Club; "Feathertop"; Junior Writers' Club; Senior Writers' Club; Freshman Debate Club; Beacon Typist; Beacon Annual Typist; Type Certificates; G. A. A.; Staffs, "Doll's House," "Enchanted Cottage," "Romancers," "The Late Christopher Bean," "Romance is a Racket," "Women Folks," "It'll Be All Right on the Night," "Who Says Can't."

RAYMOND McNEIL NELSON

Varsity Football Letters; Junior Football; Basketball; Track; Tennis; "Robinson Crusoe"; "Feathertop"; National Honorary Athletic Association; Play Staff; Senior Literary Club; Spanish Club; Home Room Offices.

EMMA MARIE MURDEN

Home Room Offices; Secretary, Junior Writers' Club; Senior Writers' Club; "Feathertop"; Speech Club; Girl's Glee Club; Beacon Typist; Woodstock Type Medal; Type Certificates; Student Council; Home Economics Club; Mixed Chorus; Senior Flower Committee; Home Economics Wedding; G. A. A.; "The Holy Grail."

May you have many more years of happiness
Love
Marie Murden

V. JOHN NICHOLLS

Senior Literary Club; Junior Literary Club; President, French Club; Home Room Offices; Student Council; "Feathertop"; Photography Club; Senior Assembly and Invitation Committees.

ROBERT LLOYD MURPHY

Readers' and Debaters' Clubs; Spanish Club; Speech Club; Photography Club; National Thespians; Casts, "The Carey's of Virginia," "The Late Christopher Bean," "Tune In," "Quality Street," "The Youngest"; Senior Literary Club; Staff, "Tune In"; Assistant Director, "Mr. Pim Passes By"; Chairman, Senior Ring Committee; Home Room Offices; "Feathertop"; "Wild Hobby Horses."

wishing you lots of luck

SIDNEY R. PULLEY

"Feathertop"; Home Room Offices.

Lots of luck to a sweet girl. Lillyan

LILLYAN REVA OSER

Senior Invitation Committee; Beacon Annual; Beacon Newspaper; Senior Home Economics Club; Speech Club; Junior and Senior Writers' Club; Readers' Club; Debate Club; Type Certificate; "Feathertop"; Staffs, "Enchanted Cottage," "The Late Christopher Bean," "It'll Be All Right on the Night," "Women Folks"; Home Room Offices.

NORMA RETOSA

Senior Home Economics Club; "Robinson Crusoe"; "Feathertop"; Fashion Show.

Much happiness & success Norma Retosa '36'

EMMA ELIZABETH PADGETT

Commencement Speaker; Vice-President, National Honor Society; President, Junior Literary Club; Vice-President, Senior Literary Club; Glee Club; Writers' Club; Readers' Club; Spanish Club; Latin Club; Secretary, Speech Club; G. A. A.; Casts, "Quality Street," "The Youngest," "Tune In," "Feathertop," "Royal Dilemma"; Staffs, "Tune In," "Quality Street," "Mr. Pim Passes By"; Student Council; Class Offices; Home Room Offices; Cast, "Wild Hobby Horses."

MILDRED CATHERINE ROBERTS

Senior Home Economics Club; Junior Home Economics Club; Home Room Offices; Type Certificate; "Feathertop"; "Robinson Crusoe"; G. A. A.

wishing you all the luck in the world to a pal. Millie Roberts

Best wishes to a fellow graduate. Love; Lena Mae

LUCRETIA ANNE ROWE

G. A. A.; Type Certificates; Junior and Senior Home Economics Clubs; "Feathertop"; Home Room Office.

LENA MAE SCRUGGS

National Thespians; "Feathertop"; Spanish Club; Photography Club; Senior Home Economics Club; Type Editor, Beacon Weekly; Advertising Staff, Beacon Annual; Staffs, "Vanity," "Romancers," "The Late Christopher Bean," "Quality Street," "Doll's House," "Enchanted Cottage," "Royal Dilemma," Senior Plays, "Mr. Pim Passes By," "The Youngest," "Romance is a Racket"; Type Certificates.

Best wishes & stuff like that
Edna

EDNA LEE SADLER

Washington High School; Spanish Club; Home Room Offices; "Robinson Crusoe"; Home Economics Club; French Club.

DOROTHY GENEVA SCRIMINGER

Class Office; Home Room Offices; Readers' Club; Debate Club; G. A. A.; "Feathtrtop"; Beacon Ad Staff; Type Certificates; Type Pin; Staff, "Why the Chimes Rang"; Senior Home Economics Club; Cast, "Court of Justice."

LUCILLE SALMON

Public Speaking Club; Usher; Home Room Offices; "Feathertop"; Office Staff; G. A. A.; Staff, "Quality Street"; Type Certificate; Speech Club.

Best U' Luck to you Class - Remember our Social Probs. Class?? Lucille

Best wishes for your success and happiness
Dorothy

Well, Clara, we have some good times right here in this place. (Not) I'm going to miss you all like hack, but I'll be coming here to see you. Always a friend Shippe

EVELYN SPENCER SHIPPE

Home Economics Club; Home Room Offices; G. A. A.; "Feathertop."

"Lots of Luck"
"Jimmy"

JAMES SEYMORE

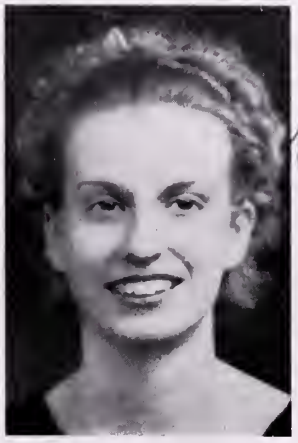
Advertising Manager, Beacon; Stage Crew, "The Late Christopher Bean"; Head Electrician, "Quality Street"; Co-Head Electrician, "The Youngest," "Mr. Pim Passes By," "Theme Song," "Grandma Pulls the Strings," "Jazz and Minnet," "Nine Lives of Emily"; "Feathertop"; Staff, "Enchanted Cottage."

"Lets get married"
Carlton Shockley

CARLTON WILSON SHOCKLEY

Band; Orchestra.

Luck to you
Jay Shaver



JANICE JAY SHAVER

Roosevelt High School, Wyandotte, Michigan, 1931-33; Woodstock High School, Woodstock, Virginia, 1933-34; Senior Home Economics Club; Home Room Office.

JOE SMITH

Airplane Club; Senior Literary Club; Spanish Club; Beacon Annual, Co-Art Editor; Beacon Newspaper; "Feathertop"; Staffs, "The Youngest," "Washington's First Defeat," Senior Pageant, "Quality Street"; Art Club; Speech Club; Quill and Scroll.

Have I am just as big a sap as ever
Joe Smith
Art Ed.

LEHMAN ZELL SMITH, Jr.

Midget Football; Varsity Football; Midget Basketball; Home Room Offices; Senior Color Committee; Sesqui-Centennial Pageant; "Legend of Sleepy Hollow"; "Robinson Crusoe"; Staffs, "The Late Christopher Bean," "Enchanted Cottage," "Romance is a Racket," "Romancers," "Royal Dilemma," "Doll's House."

RUBY LEE SPEIGLE

"Feathertop"; Staff, Senior Pageant, "Quality Street," "Tune In," "The Youngest"; Home Room Offices; Beacon Weekly; Home Economics Club; G. A. A.

"Queen of Fools"
Ruby Speigle

MARY SOKOL

Home Room Offices; Writers' Club; Spanish Club; G. A. A.; Junior Home Economics Club; Senior Home Economics Club; Assistant Director, "No Retreat"; Staff, "The Late Christopher Bean," "Grandma Pulls the Strings," "Quality Street"; Fashion Show; "Feathertop."

Lots of luck, to a
nice girl!
Mary Sokol

ATKINS SPENCER

Varsity Football; Home Room Offices; Staffs, "Romancers," "Romance is a Racket," "The Vicious Circle," "It'll Be All Right on the Night"; Basketball; Photography Club; "Robinson Crusoe"; "Feathertop."

Best Wishes
Atkins Spencer

CLARA MARIE SOTER

St. Vincents High School; Usher; Tableau, "Feathertop"; Home Room Offices; Speech Club; Home Economics Club; Junior Red Cross; Photo Club; G. A. A.; Fashion Shows; Annual Ad Staff.

JOSEPH JAMES SPROUSE

"Feathertop"; Midget Football; Beacon Ad Staff; Photography Club; Staffs, "Washington's First Defeat," "Tune In," 'Quality Street," "Romancers," "Romance is a Racket, "The Youngest," "Jazz and Minuet," "Nine Lives of Emily."

HUDSON WALKER

Spanish Club; "Feathertop"; "Robinson Crusoe"; Track; Midget Football; Varsity Football; Home Room Offices.

"Luck"

Hudson

HELEN ELIZABETH TURLINGTON

G. A. A.; Spanish Club; "Feathertop"; Staffs, "The Late Christopher Bean," "Theme Song."

Lots of luck and happiness to a swell girl
Helen

MARION HARTWELL WALTERS, Jr.

"Feathertop"; "Robinson Crusoe"; Home Room Offices.

Best of luck
Michael
Hi Sue!
"Rip" Walters

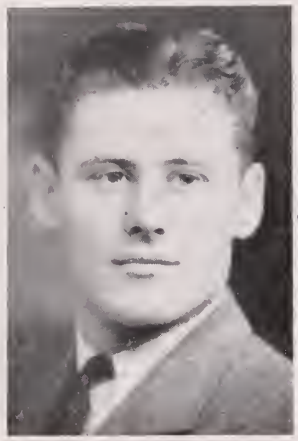
MILDRED VERNON

Beacon Ad Staff; Spanish Club; G. A. A.; "Feathertop"; Type Certificates.

CLAUDE WARD

Varsity Football; Junior Varsity Football; Junior Varsity Basketball; Cheerleader; Cast, "Romancers"; Boys' Chorus"; "Robinson Crusoe"; Home Room Offices.

Good Luck, Clara
Claude



CURTIS WATSON

Varsity Football; Football Letter; Midget Football; Track; Latin Club; Usher; "Featherstop"; "Robinson Crusoe"; Home Room Office.

Don't forget Nancy.

WILLIAM PARKES WILSON, Jr.

Library; Band; Drum Major; Speech Club; Readers' Club; Spanish Club; Photography Club; Service Letter; Staffs, "Quality Street," "Tune In," "Nine Lives of Emily," "Jazz and Minuet," "Mr. Pim Passes By"; Cast, "The Youngest"; "Featherstop"; Senior Dues Committee; Chairman, Senior Music Committee; Home Room Offices; Cast, "Our Happy Little Home."

May you always be happy in life

LOUIS EMMALINE WEST

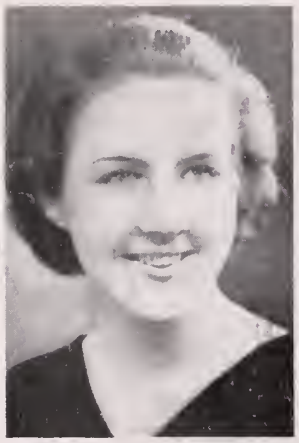
Staffs, "Romanders," "Romance is a Racket," "The Doll's House"; Head of Prompter Staffs, "The Women Folks," "I'll Be All Right in the Night," "The Late Christopher Bean"; Assistant Director, "Tune In," "Quality Street," "Jazz and Minuet"; Home Economics Club; Tennis Leader, G. A. A.; Archery Club; Senior Flower Committee.

Love, Louie (Lou to someone)

ELIZA WARWICK WISE

G. A. A.; Athletic Letter; Junior Writers' Club; Readers' Club; Junior Literary Club; "Featherstop"; "The Enchanted Cottage"; French Club; Senior Flower Committee.

Best of luck always Eliza



JUNE WILKINSON

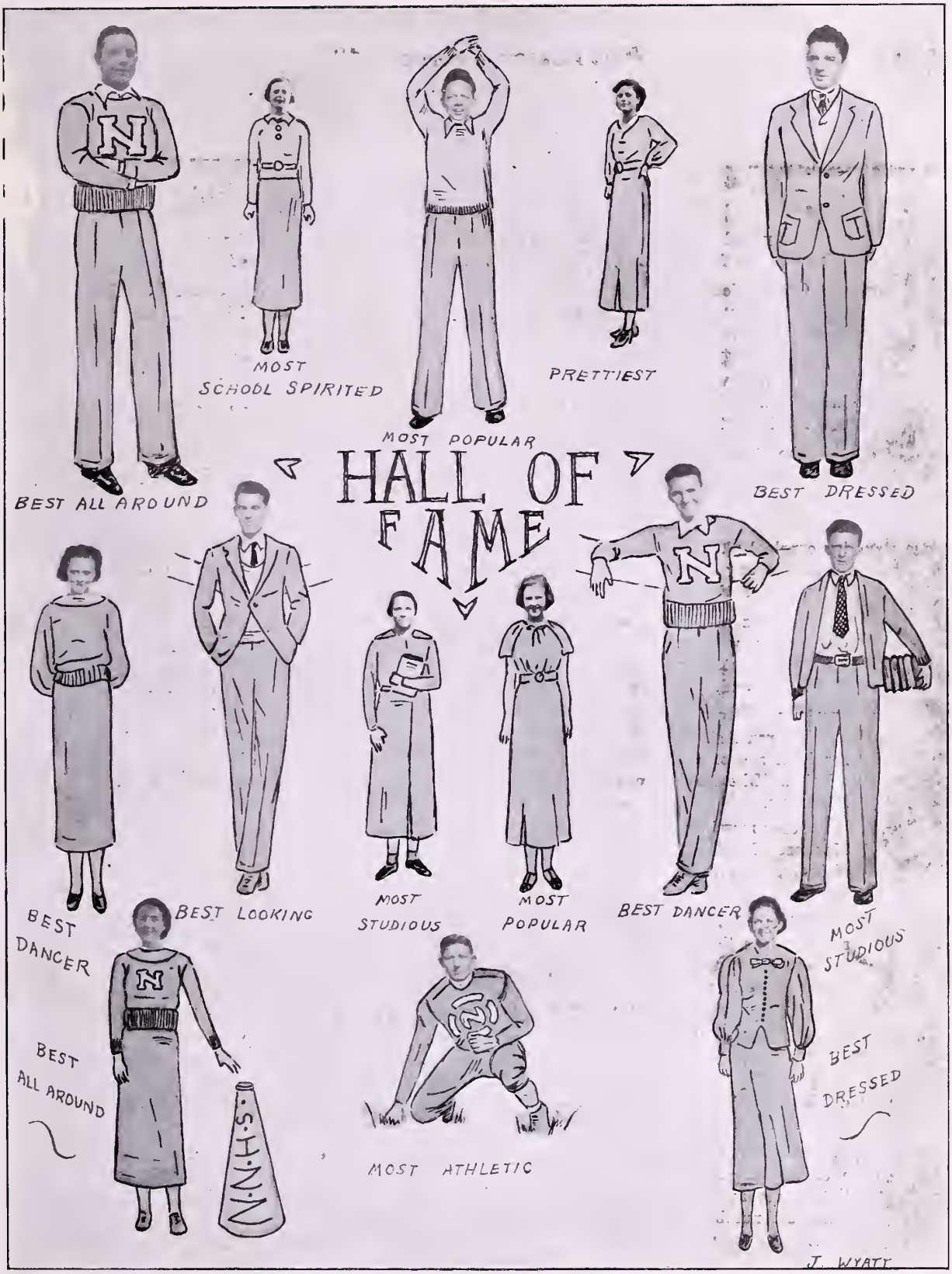
Spanish Club; School Cheerleader; Head School Cheerleader; Athletic Letter; G. A. A.; "Featherstop"; Home Room Offices; Beacon Ad Staff.

Good luck, Jane.

SHIRLEY MAYNARD WOOTEN

G. A. A.; Junior Home Economics Club; Spanish Club; "Featherstop"; Type Certificate; Senior Ring Committee.

Luck to you Shirley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BEST DRESSED
J. WYATT

Within the Amphitheatre

Many and varied are the extra-curricular activities in Newport News high school. We recognize in these an opportunity to learn much that no accredited subject offers.

Chosen for character, scholarship, leadership and service, the members of the National Honor society receive recognition parallel to that of the Phi Beta Kappa, honorary college fraternity.

New members elected from the high junior and senior classes late this semester include: Margaret Huette, Carlyn Gordon, Evelyn Fisher, Essie Millner, James Hawkins, Frances Maguire, Adelaide Arch, George Ellis, Edgar Applewhite, Monroe Brown and Lewis Jester.

The student council, which is divided into an executive board and a general student group, is the governing body of the school. The officers are: Roy Carter, president; Ruth Robeson, vice-president and Benton Dodd, secretary.

As the oldest club in high school the Literary club has assumed a position not to be overlooked. Social meetings twice monthly, teas in honor of the graduates, Memorial day broadcasts, original poetry contests and historical tours are among the varied activities on its program.

Officers of the Senior Literary club are: Cary McMurran, president; Margaret Cutchins, vice-president; Rita Sarfan, secretary; George Sands, treasurer and Dorothy Day, historian. Junior Literary club officers are: Virginia Burbage, president; E. C. McClaud, vice-president; Sadie Sutton, secretary; Gerry Ackiss, treasurer and Margaret Lee Alexander, historian.

Warren Ashby is president of Quill and Scroll, an international honorary society for high school journalists. Only the most capable journalism students receive admission. The records of their work must be approved by the National Executive Secretary.

Other members are: Elmore Eubank, Elmo Marable, Adelaide Arch, Sally Haynes, Margaret Huette, George Sands, Bruce Bew, James Hawkins, Joe Smith, Rudolph Heinatz, Rita Sarfan, Dorothy Weger, Evelyn Wilks, Nellie Mae Miller, Haywood Schomburg and Francis Acosta.

Mixed chorus, band and orchestra, headed by Miss Eleanor Sherman, music instructor, are the musical organizations of the school and are important groups. Billy Wilson, drum major, leads the band in the traditional uniform. Bernard Siegel is concert master of the orchestra.

Elected on the basis of credits for work done in the drama department the Thespians, a national honorary dramatic society, are an industrious group.

New members include: Lena Mae Scruggs, Lucille Houser, Carlyn Gordon, Alice Rappold, Sophia Eisenman, Philippa Schlobohm, Cecelia Damino, Lee Workman, Robert Murphy, Irving Mathews, Howard Mirmelstein, Arthur Kneip, Billy Eubank and Charles Bartles.

One of the largest clubs in high school, the Girls' Athletic association, cultivates a desire for clean sportsmanship among girls. Sponsored by Miss Frances Abbitt, letters are awarded, pending her approval, to the better athletes who have made a minimum number of points in recognized achievement.

Within the Ampitheatre (Continued)

Coached by Mr. Michael J. Burns, the football team won six of the eleven games played this season. The first string included: Raymond Nelson, captain; James Baxter, newly elected captain for next year; Lehman Smith, Edgar Morrisette, Mayo Fitzhugh, Thomas Norfleet, Charles Bartles, Bruce West, Eddie Jones, Clifford Rogers and Mac McClellan.

June Wilkinson, head cheerleader, leaves this year. Others who have been in the cheer-leading group are Jackie Burroughs, Essie Milner, Ann Holladay, George Ellis, John Williamson, Buddy Branch, Elmo Marable and Maurice Hoffman.

Organized in 1933 by Miss Harriette Smith, the Speech club made rapid strides. Sponsored this year by Miss Catherine Blanton, the club is still progressing. Officers are: Fenton Gilliam, president; William Eubank, vice-president; Emma Padgett, secretary; Mildred Lee Ford, parliamentarian and A. N. Branch, sergeant-at-arms.

The Home Economics club is composed of girls who are anxious to dignify the home and to make house work necessitate less drudgery. Miss Louise Ramsey is adviser of the Senior club, and Miss Sue Kelly, adviser of the Junior club.

Senior Home Economics club officers are: Lois West, president; Katherine Wartham, vice-president; Margaret Cutchins, secretary and Adelaide Arch, parliamentarian. Officers of the Junior club are: Agnes Wilkie, president; Margaret Brown, vice-president and Judith Rich, secretary.

Members of the Art club find an outlet for their talents in this wide-awake group, which is sponsored by Mrs. Florence Montgomery. Officers are: Philippa Schlobohm, president; Bernice Honick, vice-president and Esther Diehl, secretary.

Mr. Weiss is adviser of the Photography club. This group learns how to take and develop pictures, and in doing so takes many of the school. Officers are: Henry Harrison, president; Mildred Paxson, vice-president and Ola Hubbard, secretary.

To be an honor student one must have a semester average of "B." George Sands, valedictorian; Bernard Siegel, salutatorian and Rita Sarfan, third honor student, lead the class of February '36. Others on the honor list were: Dorothy Weger, Cary McMurran, Fenton Gilliam, Mildred James, Evelyn Fisher, Carlyn Gordon, Selma Greenspon, Ethel Trew, Lottie Driver and Hope Wright.

With the production of the fall play, "The Youngest" the drama department added another achievement to its credit. Thursday night Edgar Applewhite and Emma Padgett played the leads; Friday night, Lee Montgomery and Mildred Lee Ford had the same respective roles.

Thursday the cast included: Frances Maguire, Billy Wilson, Jackie Burroughs, Billy Brooks, Eleanor Maupin, Robert Murphy and Alma McKenzie. The cast, Friday, included: Lucille Houser, Robert Hatfield, Jane Massenburg, Fenton Gilliam, Peggy Watson, Billy Hoyle and Margaret Huette.

Class night the senior class will present two one-act plays, "Wild Hobbyhorses" and "Our Happy Little Home." Robert Murphy has the lead in "Wild Hobbyhorses," with Fenton Gilliam, Billy Hoyle, Emma Padgett, Lucille Houser, Nellie Hudgins and Margaret Huette in the cast. Billy Wilson and Margaret Cutchins will play the leads in "Our Happy Little Home." Bernard Siegel and Lois West play the other parts.

"Wild Hobbyhorses" will be presented at Senior assembly. Vernon Beauchamp will act the part played by Billy Hoyle class night.

May your knowledge of cooking be a success in life

Best wishes
Jack Dixon

Luck to a swell girl
Lots of luck and success.
Harriette Brown.

Just me
E. Moore
Eubank

Here's wishing you loads of luck
Elsie

Best of luck
Betty Lee

Will you ever forget our C Period Home Management class? Luck & Love
Anna McKinzie
June 3

Dot Mifflet
Here! wishing lots of luck to a swell gine.
Elizabeth Goodman

Best of luck thru out the coming years.
Louise Lutz

May you walk the streets of success always. A better pal could not be found. Gregoire [illegible]

Lots of luck throughout your life. Esther Dick

Best Wishes,
Beverly Crowder,

FEATURES

In the Zenith of the Season's Dramatic Successes We Recognize

"For Valor"—Rudolf Heinatz
"Abide With Me"—Raymond Nelson
"Stick-in-the-Mud"—Linwood Dale
"Kind Lady"—Mildred James
"There's Wisdom in Women"—Lottie Driver
"Boy Meets Girl"—James Seymore, Katherine Butry
"Limelight"—Rita Sarfan
"Personal Appearance"—Bernard Siegel
"Mother Sings"—Lucille Houser
"Let Freedom Ring"—Joe Smith
"Swing Your Lady"—Lehman Smith
"Paths of Glory"—Billy Brooks
"The Taming of the Shrew"—Marjorie Kern
"Anything Goes"—Nellie Miller
"A Touch of Brimstone"—Virginia Ashburn
"Satellite"—Emma Padgett
"Jumbo"—Billy Hoyle
"On Stage"—Robert Murphy
"Play, Genius Play!"—Cary McMurran
"Good Men and True"—John Nicholls, Walter Lee, Douglas Gildner
"Triumph"—Raymond Nelson
"Smile at Me"—Atkins Spencer
"Most of the Game"—Hudson Walker
"The Happiest Man"—Roger Callis
"Little Czar"—Billy Wilson
"Squaring the Circle"—George Sands
"The Youngest"—Eliza Wise
"How Beautiful with Shoes"—Claud Ward
"I Want a Policeman"—Ethel Trew
"Afraid to Marry"—Shirley Wooten
"Blind Alley"—Curtis Watson
"Sketch Book"—Norma Retosa
"Jubilee"—June Wilkinson
"Fly Away Home"—Esther Goldberg
"Cardboard Castle"—John Kipper
"Gentlemen in High Boots"—Six Foot Fraternity
"The New Gulliver"—Elmo Marable
"Remember the Day"—(The Hampton Game)
"Night of January 16"—Carleton Shockley

Peering from the Wings

Looking from the wings of the stage to the scene of action, we see the actors playing their parts in this, the greatest of all dramas, life.

Though it is but a fleeting picture, many of the class mates of the class of February '36 can be recognized in our view of the business world. Edward Baron Cohen and son, Barrie, are chief advisers for J. P. Morgan's business enterprises. Doris Butry, Virginia Futrell, Elvira Marshall, Mildred Vernon, Frances Morewitz, Cecelia Damino, Selma Greenspon, Edna Sadler, Carlyn Gordon and Ruby Speigle have found outlets for their talents as secretaries and typist of large business firms. Dorothy Weger and Ethel Trew are traveling secretaries, while Eliza Wise also does a great deal of traveling as the only educated "tall lady" in the world's largest circus.

The medical and dental professions have claimed the interests of many. Douglas Gildner is having a hard time pulling Lucretia Rowe's tooth, but it has to be done. Elizabeth Hearn makes an efficient supervisor of nurses in the hospital to which the former Miss Rita Sarfan has contributed so many of her medical experiments. Lillyan Oser, bacteriologist, Margaret Cutchins, technician, Nellie Hudgins, and Bernard Siegel also work on the hospital staff.

Lottie Driver, librarian, has an important position and is kept busy supplying Clara Soter, dietitian, Esther Goldberg, chemist, and Henry Goldstein, research worker, with books in their particular fields. Beatrice Hicks, governess of five children in New York, also visits the library seeking books for her charges.

Joe Smith, forest ranger, on his observation route, passes the chicken farm of Vernon Beachum and the summer home of John Nichols daily.

While listening in on a telephone conversation of Roger Callis, horse-shoe inspector, Mildred Roberts burned the fluffiest of omelets. She overheard, however, that Joe Sprouse sang on the amateur program of Gordon Jones, an instructor of the Ethiopian Air Force—even though one failed to develop out of the Italo-Ethiopian War.

Doris Eacho, telephone operator, also did a bit of eaves-dropping, I see, and just told Robert Murphy, the "Baby Senator" of thirty years of age, and a friend of Billy Hoyle, also a "Baby Senator," that she knew Naomi Marshall was doing evangelistic work, singing and preaching abroad.

Peering from the Wings (Continued)

Hartwell Walters, bachelor play-boy, is flying to France in the plane of that famous aviatrix, Nellie Miller, to meet Elmo Marable, United States Naval commander. Margaret Huette is the hostess on the air line. Also flying in the plane are: George Sands, chief engineer of the Western Electric Company, Walter Lee, admiral in the Swiss Navy, Turner Armstrong, foreman in the Newport News Shipyard, Lucille Houser, leader of a large choir in Poquoson, Hope Wright, heiress to a large estate and owner of several prized hounds and Curtis Watson, president of the First National Bank of New York.

Billy Brooks and Fenton Gilliam look slightly warm. They seem to be doing government work—breaking rocks. After all these years, there's Atkins Spencer sitting in the Saunders stadium cheering ol' Newport.

Virginia Ashburn and Frances Gregory appear to be friendly rivals in their management of beauty salons. Mary Sokol and Janice Shaver, dress designers, and Evelyn Fisher and Edith McBride, interior decorators, patronize these shops regularly. Lois West, radio singer, Adrian Evans, night club singer and Ruth Giddings, Red Cross worker, also receive beauty treatments from these salons.

Raymond Nelson, salesman of can openers and soap, trying to sell his wares, visited the married members of the class of '36 today. He called on Hammell Christian, Catherine Illish, Shirley Wooten, Robert Hall, John Kipper, Dorothy Scriminger, June Wilkinson, Evelyn Shippe, James Seymore, Helen Turlington, Lena Mae Scruggs, Catherine Butry, Cland Ward, Lucille Salmon and Ola Hubbard.

Emma Lee Bowden has just planned her fifth anniversary party. Reading the invitation list to her husband, she allowed me to catch the names of a few who will be present. They are: Emma Padgett and Hudson Walker, noted singers; Mildred James, organist; Marie Murden, secretary; Linwood Dale, sergeant in the Ethiopian army; "Rudy" Heimatz, publisher of the New York Herald Tribune; Tomas Massey, head electrician in the United States Navy; Clyde Kelly, captain in the Irish army; Norma Retosa, a noted artist in America and abroad and Cary McMurran, the pianist in the Metropolitan Symphony Orchestra.

Lehman Smith, Sidney Pulley, Carlton Shockley and Billy Wilson are bachelor play-boys. Marjorie Kern also is a leader in society.

Now, having stolen glances at so many of the class mates of February '36, I shall leave my hideout, the wings of the stage, and resume my place as call boy until June, 1936.

Last Will and Testament of the Senior Graduating Class of 1936

As the curtain falls on the fourth and final act of the class of February '36 we hope that those remaining will take from us their cues of "on with the play." May they carry on with new energy the traditions and activities of Newport News high school. With this hope and request, we do hereby draw up, ordain, and establish this, our last will and testament, revoking all former wills made or cues missed during our four years in moments of weakness or ignorance.

First: We leave to Newport News high school the hope that she will be more successful in acquiring her wings than we have been in launching ours.

Second: To Miss Annye B. Burbank, Miss Elma Free and Miss Eline Krisch, we leave the wish that the imprints of anxiety we have evoked will be erased when their new home rooms of freshmen enter.

Third: To the June Annual staff, we leave the problem of constructing another annual that will be "different."

Fourth: To the June Annual ad staff, we leave our balance in the bank—the last two figures of $100.

Fifth: To the incoming freshman class, we leave the hope that they will never receive the blue slips we did.

Sixth: To the administration and faculty, we leave the problem of getting pupils to attend school of their own free will.

Seventh: To the 4-Low class, we leave our seats in the auditorium and the hope that each of our successors will be a candidate for graduation in June.

Eighth: To Miss Lucille Kaul, Beacon adviser, we will our deepest gratitude for helping us put forth our best ability in publishing this shaft of light.

Ninth: To Newport News high school, we leave the traditional senior gift and our thanks for a functional education and the happiest moments of our lives.

Tenth: To the Varsity Football squad, we extend our cheers for winning the Hampton game so that we could leave these portals with a clear conscience and a glad heart knowing the Shipbuilders crushed the Crabbers in the mighty conflict on the gridiron.

Eleventh: To our parents, as our childhood wanes and we become men and women of the world, we leave our humblest appreciation for making us attend school for these past eleven or more years. We know now what you meant when you said you were sorry you could not finish your education, but we hope we have made you proud of us.

Twelfth: (And to make an even dozen)—We leave to anyone and everyone having had any part in our education, thanks, straight from our hearts.

To this document we do this day of January 30, 1936, affix our hand and seal.

CLASS OF FEBRUARY '36.

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